

## Morning Brief

Date/Time Stamp: Monday, Oct 19, 2020, 06:51



## Northwest Activity Summary

Wetting rain fell over western Washington and northwestern Oregon Sunday with lighter accumulations falling in northeastern Washington and northeastern Oregon. Clouds covered much of Washington and the northern half of Oregon through the day and minimum relative humidities stayed above 30%, except for some locations in southeastern Oregon that dropped into the 20s. Gusty winds blew through the Kittitas Valley, Columbia Gorge and central and eastern Oregon, but the high moisture prevented any critical fire weather. Initial attack activity was light with no growth on existing large fires.

## Preparedness Levels

### Northwest PL

Current	3-Day	10-Day	30-Day
2 (10/10)	1	1	1

National PL
3 (10/13)

### Northwest IMT Rotation (10/13 - 10/20)

For additional IMT information refer to the [IMT Status/Rotation](#) page

NW Area Type 1	NW Area Type 2

## Northwest Incident Activity

### New Fires and Acres

1 fire for 0 acres

OR: 1 fire for 0 acres

WA: 0 fires for 0 acres

### Large Fire Summary

New large incidents: 0

Reported incidents: 6 (OR: 6, WA: 0)

No growth on existing incidents

### Northwest IMT Activity

NIMOs Committed: 0

Type 1 IMTs committed: 0

Type 2 IMTs committed: 0

Area Command committed: 0

### National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity: Light (50 new fires)

New large incidents: 2

Large fires contained: 3

Uncontained large fires: 32

### National IMT Activity

Area Command Teams: 2

NIMOs committed: 2

Type 1 IMTs committed: 8

Type 2 IMTs committed: 10

Nationally, there are 27 large fires being managed under a strategy other than full suppression.

## Northwest Current Incident Details

Incidents listed below meet large fire criteria and/or incidents with a Type 1 or 2 IMT assigned. Large incidents are defined as fires which are 100+ acres in timber or 300+ acres in grass/brush. For additional information on incidents no longer listed below please refer to the [NW Large Incident Summary](#) or [Northwest Fires Utilizing Monitor, Confine, Point Zone Protection Suppression Strategies \(YTD\)](#)

Incidents not Previously Reported: 0

Incidents Previously Reported: 6

**Beachie Creek.** OR-WIF-200299. IMT3. 15 mi N of Detroit, OR. Start 8/16. **Full Suppression.** Cause: Unknown. 193,573 acres (+0). 80% contained. Timber and brush. Minimal fire behavior. Road, trail and area closures.

**Riverside.** OR-MHF-000859. ICT3. 8 mi SE of Estacada, OR. Start 9/8. **Full Suppression.** Cause: Human. 138,054 acres (+0). 72% contained. Timber and logging slash. Minimal fire behavior. Road, trail and area closures.

**Lionshead.** OR-WSA-000077. ICT3. 20 mi W of Warm Springs, OR. Start 8/16. **Full Suppression.** Cause: Lightning. 204,469 acres (+0). 46% contained. Brush and timber. Minimal fire behavior. Structures threatened. Road, trail and area closures.

**Holiday Farm.** OR-WIF-200430. IMT3. 3 mi W of McKenzie Bridge, OR. Start 9/7. **Full Suppression.** Cause: Unknown. 173,393 acres (+0). 96% contained. Timber and brush. Minimal fire behavior. Road, trail and area closures.

**Archie Creek.** OR-UPF-000436. ICT4. 20 mi E of Glide, OR. Start 9/8. **Full Suppression.** Cause: Unknown. 131,542 acres (+0). 95% contained. Timber. Minimal fire behavior. Road, trail and area closures. **Last report on morning briefing unless significant activity occurs.**

**Thielsen.** OR-UPF-000441. ICT4. 2 mi SE of Diamond Lake, OR. Start 9/8. **Point Protection, Full Suppression.** Cause: Unknown. 9,975 acres (+0). 75% completed. Timber. Minimal fire behavior. Road, trail and area closures. Last report on morning briefing unless significant activity occurs. See [NW Fires Utilizing Monitor, Confine, Point Zone Protection Suppression Strategies \(YTD\)](#) (link) for future updates.

---

**Northwest Fire Weather Summary**

Northwesterly flow will persist for much of the week, keeping mild, cloudy conditions with periodic showers for Washington and northern Oregon as shortwave systems pass through. Today's rain should be mainly restricted to the Olympic Peninsula and Washington Cascades. Tuesday could see some mountain showers, while Wednesday has potential for more widespread showers. Breezy winds are expected on the east side today and again Wednesday. Drier conditions could follow Thursday into Friday before the next system approaches. Monitor your NWS forecasts for the latest details in your area.

---

**Northwest Fire Potential Summary**

The potential for new significant fires will stay low through the week. Winds could be of concern for any planned prescription burning, so make sure to request spot forecasts beforehand.

More info, see [NW 7-Day Significant Fire Potential Forecast](#), and [National 7-Day Significant Fire Potential](#)

---

**National Incident Management Situation Report (IMSR):** <https://www.nifc.gov/nicc/sitreprt.pdf>  
**Other GACC Morning Reports**

<a href="#">Eastern Area</a>	<a href="#">Southern Area</a>	<a href="#">Rocky Mountain</a>	<a href="#">Southwest</a>	<a href="#">Northern Rockies</a>	<a href="#">Great Basin</a>	<a href="#">Southern California</a>	<a href="#">Northern California</a>	<a href="#">Alaska</a>
------------------------------	-------------------------------	--------------------------------	---------------------------	----------------------------------	-----------------------------	-------------------------------------	-------------------------------------	------------------------